

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. - 81. (cancelled)

82. (new) A cosmetic or dermatological composition, wherein the composition is pearlescent and comprises:

- (I) up to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C₁₂-C₄₀ fatty acids,
- (II) from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C₁₂-C₄₀ fatty alcohols,
- (III) from 0.01 % to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of at least one of an amphiphilic polymer, an associative polymer and a siloxane elastomer,
- (IV) at least one of sodium hydroxide and potassium hydroxide,
- (V) from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C₁₂-C₄₀ polyethoxylated fatty acid esters having a polyethoxy chain length of from 10 to 100,
- (VI) optionally, at least one low molecular weight surfactant, and
- (VII) from 0.1 % to 30 % by weight of at least one of a pigment and a dye.

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83. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (I) comprises at least one of stearic acid and palmitic acid.
84. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (II) comprises at least one of myristyl alcohol, cetyl alcohol, behenyl alcohol, stearyl alcohol and cetearyl alcohol.
85. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (III) comprises an amphiphilic polymer.
86. (new) The composition of claim 85, wherein (III) comprises at least one hydrophobically modified acrylates amphiphilic crosspolymer.
87. (new) The composition of claim 86, wherein (III) comprises at least one of an acrylate/ alkyl acrylate crosspolymer and an acrylate/vinyl isodecanoate crosspolymer.
88. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (III) comprises an associative polymer.
89. (new) The composition of claim 88, wherein (III) comprises an associative polymer of the HASE type.
90. (new) The composition of claim 89, wherein (III) comprises at least one of acrylate/steareth-20 methacrylate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-20 itaconate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-50 acrylate

copolymer, acrylate/palmeth-25 acrylate copolymer and steareth-10 allyl ether/acrylate copolymer.

91. (new) The composition of claim 88, wherein (III) comprises an associative polymer of the hydrophobically modified POE copolymer type.

92. (new) The composition of claim 91, wherein (III) comprises at least one of PEG-120 methylglucose dioleate, PEG-60 sorbitan tetraoleate, PEG-150 pentaerythrityl tetrastearate, PEG-55 propylene glycol oleate, PEG-150 distearate and PEG-180/laureth-50/TMMG copolymer.

93. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (III) comprises a siloxane elastomer.

94. (new) The composition of claim 93, wherein (III) comprises at least one of dimethicone/vinyl dimethicone crosspolymer, polysilicone-11.

95. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (IV) comprises sodium hydroxide.

96. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (V) comprises at least one of PEG-30 stearate, PEG-40 stearate and PEG-100 stearate.

97. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (VI) comprises at least one of steareth-2, laureth-4 and ceteth-3.

98. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (VII) comprises at least one of coated mica particles, TiO_2 particles, Fe_2O_3 particles, zinc oxide-coated SiO_2 particles, iron pearlescent pigments prepared without the use of mica and aluminum pearlescent pigments.

99. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein a ratio (I) : (II) : (V) is from 5 : 1 : 1 to 1 : 1 : 5.

100. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein a ratio (I) : (II) : (V) is from 3 : 1 : 1 to 3 : 1 : 3.

101. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein a ratio (I) : (II) : (V) is from 3 : 1 : 1 to 1 : 1 : 3.

102. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition is substantially free of mono- and di-fatty acid esters of glycerol and glycol.

103. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises from 0.5 % to 15 % by weight of (VII).

104. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight of (I).

105. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises from 0.1 % to 5 % by weight of (II).

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106. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises up to 3 % by weight of (II).

107. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises up to 5 % by weight of (V).

108. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises from 0.01 % to 5 % by weight of at least one of an amphiphilic polymer and an associative polymer.

109. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises from 0.1 % to 1 % by weight of at least one of an amphiphilic polymer and an associative polymer.

110. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises at least 0.5 % by weight of a siloxane elastomer.

111. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises:

- (I) up to 10 % by weight of at least one of stearic acid and palmitic acid,
- (II) from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight of at least one of cetyl alcohol, behenyl alcohol, stearyl alcohol and cetearyl alcohol,
- (III) from 0.01 % to 10 % by weight of at least one of dimethicone/vinyl dimethicone crosspolymer, polysilicone-11, acrylate/alkyl acrylate crosspolymer, acrylate/vinyl

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- isodecanoate crosspolymer, acrylate/steareth-20 methacrylate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-20 itaconate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-50 acrylate copolymer, acrylate/palmeth-25 acrylate copolymer, steareth-10 allyl ether/acrylate copolymer, PEG-120 methylglucose dioleate, PEG-60 sorbitan tetraoleate, PEG-150 pentaerythrityl tetrastearate, PEG-55 propylene glycol oleate, PEG-150 distearate and PEG-180/laureth-50/TMMG copolymer,
- (IV) from 0.15 % to 1 % by weight of sodium hydroxide,
- (V) up to 10 % by weight of at least one of PEG-20 stearate, PEG-40 stearate and PEG-100 stearate,
- (VI) from 0 % to 10 % by weight of at least one of steareth-2, laureth-4 and ceteth-3, and
- (VII) from 1.0 % to 5.0 % by weight of at least one of a pigment and a dye.

112. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition comprises sodium hydroxide as an exclusive neutralizing agent.

113. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein not more than 9 % of the one or more fatty acids are saponified.

114. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein (VI) comprises laureth-4.

115. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition further comprises up to 30 % by weight of at least one of a non-polar lipid having a polarity of at least 30 mN/m, a mineral oil, a

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silicone oil and a wax.

116. (new) The composition of claim 115, wherein the non-polar lipid and the wax are selected from non-polar hydrocarbons, hydrogenated polyisobutene, squalane, cyclomethicones, dimethicones, methyl palmitate and dimethiconol stearate.

117. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein a lipid phase of the composition comprises up to 60 % by weight, based on a total weight of the lipid phase, of one or more polar lipids having a polarity of at most 30 mN/m.

118. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition further comprises a solubilizer.

119. (new) The composition of claim 118, wherein the solubilizer comprises PEG-40 hydrogenated castor oil.

120. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition further comprises at least one of a photoprotective filter, a moisturizer, an active ingredient, a powder raw material, a preservative, a filler and a deodorant.

121. (new) The composition of claim 82, wherein the composition further comprises ethanol in

an amount of up to 30 % by weight.

122. (new) A decorative cosmetic product which comprises the composition of claim 82.

123. (new) A skin care product which comprises the composition of claim 82.

124. (new) A photoprotective product which comprises the composition of claim 82.

125. (new) A cleansing emulsion which comprises the composition of claim 82.

126. (new) A cosmetic or dermatological composition, wherein the composition is pearlescent, is substantially free of mono- and di-fatty acid esters of glycerol and glycol and comprises:

- (I) from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C_{12} - C_{40} fatty acids,
- (II) from 0.1 % to 5 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C_{12} - C_{40} fatty alcohols,
- (III) from 0.01 % to 10 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of at least one of an amphiphilic polymer, an associative polymer and a siloxane elastomer,
- (IV) at least one of sodium hydroxide and potassium hydroxide,
- (V) from 0.1 % to 5 % by weight, based on a total weight of the composition, of one or more C_{12} - C_{40} polyethoxylated fatty acid esters having a polyethoxy chain length of from 10 to 100,

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- (VI) optionally, at least one low molecular weight surfactant, and
- (VII) from 0.1 % to 15.0 % by weight of at least one of a pigment and a dye.

127. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (I) comprises at least one of stearic acid and palmitic acid.

128. (new) The composition of 127, wherein (II) comprises at least one of myristyl alcohol, cetyl alcohol, behenyl alcohol, stearyl alcohol and cetearyl alcohol.

129. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (III) comprises an amphiphilic polymer.

130. (new) The composition of claim 129, wherein (III) comprises at least one of an acrylate/alkyl acrylate crosspolymer and an acrylate/vinyl isodecanoate crosspolymer.

131. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (III) comprises an associative polymer.

132. (new) The composition of claim 131, wherein (III) comprises at least one of acrylate/steareth-20 methacrylate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-20 itaconate copolymer, acrylate/steareth-50 acrylate copolymer, acrylate/palmeth-25 acrylate copolymer, steareth-10 allyl ether/acrylate copolymer, PEG-120 methylglucose dioleate, PEG-60 sorbitan tetraoleate, PEG-150 pentaerythrityl tetrastearate, PEG-55 propylene glycol oleate, PEG-150 distearate and PEG-

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180/laureth-50/TMMG copolymer.

133. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (III) comprises a siloxane elastomer.

134. (new) The composition of claim 128, wherein (V) comprises at least one of PEG-30 stearate, PEG-40 stearate and PEG-100 stearate.

135. (new) The composition of claim 134, wherein (VI) comprises at least one of steareth-2, laureth-4 and ceteth-3.

136. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (VII) comprises at least one of coated mica particles, TiO₂ particles, Fe₂O₃ particles, zinc oxide-coated SiO₂ particles, iron pearlescent pigments prepared without the use of mica and aluminum pearlescent pigments.

137. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein the composition comprises from 0.1 % to 1 % by weight of at least one of an amphiphilic polymer and an associative polymer.

138. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein the composition comprises at least 0.5 % by weight of a siloxane elastomer.

139. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein the composition comprises sodium hydroxide

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as an exclusive neutralizing agent.

140. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein not more than 9 % of the one or more fatty acids are saponified.

141. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein (VI) comprises laureth-4.

142. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein the composition further comprises up to 30 % by weight of at least one of a non-polar lipid having a polarity of at least 30 mN/m, a mineral oil, a silicone oil and a wax.

143. (new) The composition of claim 126, wherein the composition further comprises a solubilizer.

144. (new) The composition of claim 143, wherein the solubilizer comprises PEG-40 hydrogenated castor oil.